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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SWEL

SUBJ: SWINE FEVER- VIRUS

REF: STATE 86200 (NOTAL)

1. EMBASSY BROUGHT MATTER TO ATTENTION OF MFA (DIRECTOR GENERAL KHURSHID HYDER), LEAVING AIDE MEMOIRE WHICH POINTED OUT SERIOUS POTENTIAL RISK OF SWINE FEVER VIRUS, PARTICULARLY THAT THE VIRUS MUTATION COULD POSE HUMAN RISK AND COULD BE RANSPORTED TO OTHER COUNTRIES. IN DISCUSSION WITH HYDER, WE ALSO MENTIONED POSSIBLE POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF PROBLEM. HYDER EXPRESSED GRATITUDE FOR OUR BRINGING PROBLEM TO HER ATTENTION, UNDERTOOK TO CONTACT CONCERNED AUTHORITIES, AND PROMISED TO LET US KNOW WHAT ACTION WAS TAKEN.

2. WE ALSO CALLED MATTER TO ATTENTION OF GENERAL A.N. ANSARI, SECRETARY IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH, AND PASSED COPY OF OUR AIDE MEMOIRE TO HIM.
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